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An induction order was received by all physicians of the municipal hospital at Neuruppin. It had been issued by order of the local Russian commander and stated that the recipient had been drafted for two years compulsory service in Russia. The men were ordered to hold themselves in readiness by 9 June and to take along all their surgical instruments, since none would be given out in Russia.

- A similar order was received by all physicians practising in nearby communities, namely, in Alt-Ruppin, Lindow, Granses, Netzeband, Rossow, Ryritz, Rheinsberg, and Dossow. The physicians in question were instructed to report in Neuruppin on 9 June for transportation to Russia.
- 3. At the time of reporting in, the physicians were asked to return the induction order. No arrangements whatsoever were made in regard to salaries or any other conditions. The physicians were advised that they were expected to do a good piece of work and that anyone found neglecting his duties would be shot as a sabotour.
- 4. All physicians from the above named localities, with the exception of two who were detained for valid reasons, left the same day for Neubrandenburg, accompanied by their wives, who had been given permission to accompany their husbands as far as Neubrandenburg. A transport of approximately 1,200 persons left the same day; it included physicians from other communities who had joined the Weuruppin group in Neubrandenburg.

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